

## **EXHIBIT A**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,

v.

POKERSTARS; et al.,  
Defendants.

ALL RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST IN  
THE ASSETS OF POKERSTARS, et al.;

Defendants-In-Rem.

Case No. 11 Civ. 2564 (KMW)

**STIPULATION AND ORDER DISMISSING CASE WITH PREJUDICE**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Stipulation and Order of Settlement in Regard to Howard Lederer ("Settlement") (Dkt. No. 295), entered on December 18, 2012, in the matter of *United States v. Pokerstars, et al.*, No. 11 Civ. 2564 (S.D.N.Y.), Defendant Howard Lederer agreed to forfeit certain money and property to the government;

WHEREAS, the government has taken possession of all of the money and property identified as subject to forfeiture in the Settlement;

WHEREAS, Settlement Paragraph 9 provides that "Upon the United States' taking possession of the entirety of the Forfeited Property, which the United States shall note through a filing on the docket, the *in rem* forfeiture action against the remaining Defendant Property and the civil money laundering claims against Lederer shall be dismissed with prejudice";

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, through its undersigned counsel, Assistant United States Attorney Andrew Goldstein, and Defendant HOWARD LEDERER, through his undersigned counsel Elliot R. Peters, that all

claims against Howard Lederer in connection with this action, and all claims asserted *in rem* against property as to which Howard Lederer filed a claim, be DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE pursuant to Rule 41(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Dated: October 29 2014

Respectfully submitted,

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

Hon. Kimba M. Wood  
U.S. District Court Judge